

**THE RICHARD STOCKTON
COLLEGE
OF NEW JERSEY
STUDENT SENATE**

**Notice of Meeting
October 14, 2008
4:30 p.m.
G-wing Lounge**

Pomona, New Jersey 08240-0195 - (609) 652-4845

**STUDENT SENATE MEETING
AGENDA**

October 14, 2008

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. President's Report
- IV. Committee Reports
 - A. Finance
 - B. School Spirit
 - C. Public Relations
 - D. Student Welfare
 - E. Academic Policies
- V. Announcements/Comments from the Public
- VI. Adjournment

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2008-2009 Student Senate Meeting
Minutes from
September 30, 2008

Presiding: Ashley Pero

Members Present: Brian Ackerman
Jonathan Beloff
Brian Brateris
Kevin Devine
William Elmore
Melissa Gonzalez
Ingrid Jean-Gilles
Precious Jemibewon
Dawn Leiser
John Livres
Matthew Miller
William Newkirk
Timothy Papp
Xochil Ramirez
Gretchen Ramos
Danielle Sanzone
Josh Spada
Sara Sterling
Xilena Viana
Duanaya Williams

Members Absent: Sammy Sanchez *
Tamika Thompson *

Members Late: Jamie Evans
Isham Poe *Notified Chair

Agenda/Business: Ashley called the meeting to order. Senators who were absent or late were noted. John moved to approve the minutes of the September 16, 2008 meeting, seconded by Dawn.

Motion Passed: 20-0-1*

*Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

Isham arrived at this time.

President's Report: Ashley Pero

Ashley announced that there would be a short meeting following the senate meeting.

Jamie arrived at this time.

Committee Reports: Finance

The Computer Society submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$1,486.46 for the CCSC (The Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges) Eastern 2008 Conference. Duanaya moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by Xochil.

Motion Passed: 19-3-1*

*Senators Opposed: Precious Jemibewon, William Newkirk and Xilena Viana
 Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

The Multicultural Connection submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$2,993.30 for a bus trip to New York to see the play, Hairspray. Duanaya moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by William Elmore.

Motion Passed: 22-0-1*

*Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

School Spirit

Danielle stated that the committee discussed the events and happenings of Homecoming. They constructed the criteria and registration form for the Homecoming float and banner competition. The form will be placed in the clubs' mailboxes.

Danielle then reported that the Facebook page was up and running.

Danielle concluded by asking for volunteers for the Homecoming 5k Legacy Run.

Public Relations

Xilena stated that the committee discussed the promotional procedure for Homecoming.

Xilena reported that the committee is promoting the senate election and asking for volunteers to table.

Xilena then stated that the committee spoke about fundraising ideas to support Habitat for Humanity. They will be selling ribbons with the Habitat for Humanity colors.

Matt reported that he is working on a Student Senate event marketing form so that the committee can produce better flyers and marketing plans for events.

Student Welfare

Brian stated that he and Brian Ackerman are working on the list of housing related issues generated by the senate during the pre-semester meetings.

Brian then announced that the creation of the "Stockton Helpdesk" Facebook group was a success.

Brian reported that the committee plans on attending the October 1st Chartwells info session to plan for future action in the realm of meal plan costs and student nutritional health.

Academic Policies

Dawn stated that the committee discussed its plans for the Undecided Fair and will work with Marilyn Vito, Faculty Assembly President, to set up a date and place. The committee also discussed the roles the Public Relations, School Spirit and Finance committees will have in making the day a success. Dawn asked for input from senators on how to help make the day a success.

Announcements/Comments from the Public:

Precious announced that the Student, Faculty and Staff Dinner is set for November 20th at 5:30 PM in the I-Wing Gym.

Craig Stambaugh, Director of the College Center, announced that there have been several student complaints regarding the television system not displaying enough club and organization ads. Craig reported that he has contacted the vendor to make adjustments. He will keep the senate posted.

A representative from Athletics announced that the Stockton Alumni Legacy Fund 5k Run/Walk to benefit the G. Larry James Legacy Fund will be held on October 12th.

Lonnie Folks, Interim Director of Athletics & Recreations/Athletic Director, asked students to support the Stockton vs. Rowan soccer games. He also announced that he has met with Sammy Sanchez regarding options for pool usage. He is working with Tilton Fitness and the Jewish Community Center in Margate and will have more information in the near future.

Walter Tarver, Director of Career Services, announced that the Fall Career and Internship Fair will be held October 9th from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the Sports

Center. He added that the Career Center will hold walk in days from September 29th – October 6th for resume and cover letter assistance. Walter also stated that his office would be willing to help with the Undecided Fair.

Glenn Miller, Chief of Police, gave students a heads-up on the Stockton Neighborhood Watch.

Adjournment: Ashley adjourned the meeting at 5:00 p.m.